

# Fingerless Mitts

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## Materials:

110 yards worsted weight yarn  
Size US 5 double pointed needles  
Stitch markers  
Stitch holder or length of smooth cotton yarn

## Size:

To fit child, teen, woman, man  
Palm Circumference: 6.5" (7.25", 8", 8.75")

## Abbreviations:

k—knit  
p—purl  
pm—place marker  
m1—make 1 (increase by picking up the strand between sts and knitting into the back of it.)  
slm—slip marker  
sts—stitches

**Note:** If you are using self-stripping or self-patterning yarn and want your mitts to match perfectly, you will need more than 110 yards of yarn. The mitts in the photo were made with only one ball of Diakeito Diamusée, and they do not match perfectly.

## Instructions:

Cast on 33 (37, 41, 45) stitches. Divide over 3 double pointed needles. Join, being careful not to twist.

### *Child Size*

Round 1: K1, [p2, k2] 3 times, p2, k1, pm, k1, pm, k1, [p2, k2] 3 times, p2, k1.

### *Teen Size*

Round 1: P1, [k2, p2] 4 times, k1, pm, k1, pm, k1, [p2, k2] 4 times, p1.

### *Woman's Size*

Round 1: K1, [p2, k2] 4 times, p2, k1, pm, k1, pm, k1, [p2, k2] 4 times, p2, k1.

### *Man's Size*

Round 1: P1, [k2, p2] 5 times, k1, pm, k1, pm, k1, [p2, k2] 5 times, p1.

Repeat Round 1 until piece measures 2" (2.5", 3", 3.5") from cast on.

### *Shape Thumb Gusset*

Round 1: Continuing in pattern, work to marker, slm, m1, k to marker, m1, slm, work to end.

Rounds 2 and 3: Continuing in pattern, work to marker, slm, k to marker, slm, work to end.

Repeat rounds 1-3 until there are 11 (13, 15, 17) sts between markers. Continue in established pattern until piece measures 4" (5", 5.75", 6.5") from cast on.

### *Divide for hand:*

Next round: Work to marker. Remove marker. Place the next 11 (13, 15, 17) sts on hold. Cast on one stitch in their place.

Remove second marker. Work to end. Continue in pattern until piece measures 1" (1.5", 1.75", 2") from top of thumb. Bind off loosely.

### *Thumb:*

Slip held thumb sts to 3 double pointed needles, picking up one stitch in the cast on stitch above thumb. Work in k1, p1 rib for 3 (4, 4, 5) rounds. Bind off loosely.

Make a second identical mitt and wear with style!